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### **Border Patrol's Katie Price Receives National Award** *Immigration Commissioner presents award in Washington D.C.*

**MARFA, Texas** --- Kathryn A. Price, Sector Counsel for the U.S. Border Patrol Marfa Sector, has been named the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) Commissioner's Rookie Attorney-of-the-Year. The award was presented Nov, 21, 2002, by INS Commissioner James W. Ziglar at INS Headquarters in Washington, D.C. The recipient is selected from all first-year attorneys in the INS, including all districts and Border Patrol Sectors.

Chief Patrol Agent Simon Garza Jr. nominated Price because "her advocacy reflects her professionalism and she has been an effective ambassador for the Border Patrol."

Price was cited for being "a vital asset to the Marfa Border Patrol Sector management team. Amidst a wide array of responsibilities, she has demonstrated exceptional assistance in the development of administrative and criminal cases as well as in the resolution of labor-management issues. These efforts and many other successes speak volumes for her dedication to duty and professionalism."

Price grew up in Lubbock and graduated from the University of Texas. She received her law degree from Dickinson School of Law in Carlisle, Pa. She is a former staff attorney for the State of Texas.

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